

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2347
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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTRES IN BIHAR
DINESH CHANDRA YADAV

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government had launched a new scheme for setting up of a Youth Development Centre for each group of ten villages during the year 1994-95;
- (b) if so, the number of Youth Development Centres set up so far in Bihar, particularly in Saharsa and Madhepura districts ; and (
- (c) the expenditure incurred for the running and maintenance of these Centres during the last three years, centre-wise ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SH. PON. RADHAKIRISHNAN)

- (a) Yes, Sir. A scheme for setting up of Youth Development Centres was launched during the year 1994-95.
- (b) 21 Youth Development Centres have been set up in Bihar. However, no Youth Development Centre has been set up in Saharsa and Madhepura Districts.
- (c) Govt. of India sanctioned Rs. 30,000/- as one time grant-in aid for setting up of a Youth Development Centre. No maintenance grant is given to these centers.